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## **RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.112, 1.121**

This is a reply to the final Office Action mailed on November 23, 2005.

## a. Introductory Comments

The Office Action rejects claims 8-20. Claims 1-7 have been withdrawn.

Herein, Applicants cancel claims 1-7 and 9, amend claims 8 and 12, and add new claims 21-28.

Applicants request reconsideration.